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1. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Discussed with Mr. Gordon D. Osborn, Assistant Chief, Management and Organization, BOB, Agency revised views on H.R. 4845, automatic data processing legislation. Mr. Osborn, in referring to the Presidential direction and BOB policy guidance provisions in the bill, indicated BOB's intent to protect the Agency from any inroads on its security integrity and felt that that was the intention of the Committee, also. However, he thought we were wise in submitting our views to build up the legislative history on this point, and, on behalf of BOB, approved the submission of our report to the Committee on a "no objection basis." He offered to speak with Mr. Ernest C. Baynard, Staff Administrator of the Government Activities Subcommittee, should it be necessary, with respect to our report. I advised him that we did not think it would be necessary but thanked him for his kind offer. ✓

2. (Internal Use Only - LLM) In Mr. Baynard's absence, delivered to Mr. Bill Jones, Counsel, Subcommittee on Government Activities, Agency views dated 8 April 1965. I asked Mr. Jones to express our thanks to Mr. Baynard for his kind attention to our problem and the most helpful suggestions he made with respect to our initial views on the bill. I will contact Mr. Baynard Monday to thank him personally and review the action he proposes to take in our behalf. ✓

I also gave to Mr. Jones a copy of the Public Law, which sets forth the National Security Agency's security responsibility with respect to protecting its functions and organizations, indicating the similarity to our statutory responsibility and suggesting that the Committee may want to incorporate a reference to NSA's statutory responsibility in the section of the Committee report dealing with this matter.

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